

**RIDER CRM – COMMERCIAL RATE MITIGATION CREDIT**

**(Applicable to BGS-2 and BGS-3– Small General and General Service Customers with Demands Less Than 400 Kilowatts)**

**PURPOSE**

The purpose of Rider CRM - Commercial Rate Mitigation Credit (Rider CRM) is to provide Credit Adjustments for eligible Non-Residential Customers taking service under Rider BGS - Basic Generation Service (Rider BGS) for the applicable monthly Billing Periods.

**\* APPLICABILITY**

Commercial Rate Mitigation Credits shall be applicable to two groups, Group A and Group B, of Non-Residential Customers. Customers within either Group shall meet the following initial criteria for the determination of the potential application of this Rider:

1. Customer must have experienced a 2006 annual peak demand of less than 400 kilowatts.
2. Customers must have received continuous Company-supply of power and energy under Rider BGS from January 2006 through the current Billing Period.
3. Customer must have usage for the 12 most recent monthly Billing Periods including the current monthly Billing Period which was at least 50% of the usage during the 12 monthly Billing Periods in 2006.

**Group A**

If the above initial Applicability criteria are satisfied, Customer served under Rider BGS-2 and Rider BGS-3, as applicable, will be assigned to Group A for CRM application where the following condition is also satisfied:

1. Customer is estimated to experience an annual bill increase when comparing annualized billings for 2006 plus 40% (2006 Step 1 Billings) to annualized estimated costs for bundled service using 2006 usage billed under Rate DS-2/BGS-2 or Rate DS-3/BGS-3 in effect on January 2, 2007 (2007 Estimated Billings).

**Group B**

If the above initial Applicability criteria are satisfied, Customer served under Rider BGS-2 will be assigned to Group B for CRM application where the following condition is also satisfied:

1. Customer is estimated to experience an annual bill increase when comparing annualized billings for 2006 plus 40% (2006 Step 1 Billings) to annualized estimated costs for bundled service using 2006 usage billed under Rate DS-2/BGS-2 in effect for January 2008 (2008 Estimated Billings).

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Any Customer satisfying the Applicability criteria and the condition associated with Group A or B shall be deemed an Eligible Customer. A Customer that meets the Applicability criteria and conditions of both Group A and B shall be deemed a Group A Eligible Customer for purposes of Credit Adjustment applicability.

The Credit Adjustments for Group A, if applicable, will be applied to Eligible Customers' bills effective with the September 2007 or October 2007 monthly Billing Period, as applicable, and continuing through the Customers' December 2009 monthly Billing Period. The Credit Adjustments for Group B, if applicable, will be applied to Eligible Customers' bills effective with the January 2008 monthly Billing Period, as applicable, and continuing through the Customers' December 2009 monthly Billing Period.

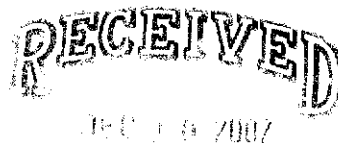
**\* CREDIT ADJUSTMENTS**

The Credit Adjustment to be applied to an Eligible Customer's bill for the applicable monthly Billing Periods of the indicated years shall be determined under the following methodology:

**Group A****2007**

The difference between the Eligible Customer's 2007 Estimated Billings and 2006 Step 1 Billings will be determined. If the difference is positive then the determined difference will be applied as a credit as long as the Customer remains an Eligible Customer for the monthly Billing Periods of September 2007 through December 2007. An Eligible Customer will be credited either one-fourth of the determined difference during each monthly Billing Period from September 2007 through December 2007, or one-third of the determined difference during each monthly Billing Period from October 2007 through December 2007, as applicable, for which the service remains active and continues to be eligible under this Rider.

Notwithstanding the above, the determined difference shall not be less than \$12 for an Eligible Customer.



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**2008**

The difference between the Eligible Customer's annualized estimated costs for bundled service using 2006 usage billed under Rate DS-2/BGS-2 or Rate DS-3/BGS-3, as applicable, in effect for January 2008 (2008 Estimated Billings) and 2006 Step 1 Billings multiplied by 1.036 (2006 Step 2A Billings) will be determined. If the determined difference is positive, then the determined difference will be applied as a credit as long as the Customer remains an Eligible Customer. An Eligible Customer will be credited one-twelfth of the annual determined difference during each monthly Billing Period from January 2008 through December 2008, as applicable, for which the service remains active and continues to be eligible under this Rider.

**2009**

The difference between the Eligible Customer's annualized estimated costs for bundled service using 2006 usage billed under Rate DS-2/BGS-2 or Rate DS-3/BGS-3, as applicable, in effect for January 2008 (2008 Estimated Billings) and 2006 Step 2A Billings multiplied by 1.035 (2006 Step 3A Billings) will be determined. If the determined difference is positive, then the determined difference will be applied as a credit as long as the Customer remains an Eligible Customer. An Eligible Customer will be credited one-twelfth of the annual determined difference during each monthly Billing Period from January 2009 through December 2009, as applicable, for which the service remains active and continues to be eligible under this Rider.

**Group B****2007**

Not applicable.

**2008**

The difference between the Eligible Customer's 2008 Estimated Billings and 2006 Step 1 Billings will be determined. If the difference is positive then the determined difference will be applied as a credit as long as the Customer remains an Eligible Customer. An Eligible Customer will be credited one-twelfth of the determined difference during each monthly Billing Period from January 2008 through December 2008, as applicable, for which the service remains active and continues to be eligible under this Rider.

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**2009**

The difference between the Eligible Customer's 2008 Estimated Billings and 2006 Step 1 Billings multiplied by 1.072 (2006 Step 2B Billings) will be determined. If the determined difference is positive, then the determined difference will be applied as a credit as long as the Customer remains an Eligible Customer. An Eligible Customer will be credited one-twelfth of the annual determined difference during each monthly Billing Period from January 2009 through December 2009, as applicable, for which the service remains active and continues to be eligible under this Rider.

Notwithstanding the above, all Eligible Customers with a positive determined difference shall receive a minimum monthly credit of \$1.00.

The sum of all Credit Adjustments pursuant to this Rider will be tracked by Customer and, also, in aggregate for this Rider.

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

- \* The Estimated Billings calculations shall not include the Market Value Adjustment associated with Rider MV in effect January 1, 2008, and shall use a simple average of Transmission Service Charges associated with Rider TS in effect for the period January 2007 through December 2007.
- \* Credit Adjustments under this Rider shall not extend beyond the December 2009 monthly Billing Period. The total value of Credit Adjustments through the December 2009 monthly Billing Period for all Eligible Customers shall not exceed a combined total of \$48.0 million for AmerenCILCO, AmerenCIPS, and AmerenIP. When the total value reaches \$48.0 million, Credit Adjustments under this Rider shall cease, and the Company shall have no further obligation. If after all Credit Adjustments have been applied to Customer bills, and less than \$48.0 million has been credited to Eligible Customers, then any remaining amount shall be contributed to other bill payment assistance programs as described in 220 ILCS 5/16-111.5A.

The Company will waive outstanding late payment charges associated with unpaid electric bills for usage on and after January 2, 2007, through September 2007 monthly Billing Period for all BGS-2 and BGS-3 Customers with a demand of less than 400 kW based on the highest Billing Demand in the most recent 12 monthly Billing Periods including the current monthly Billing Period.

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The Credit Adjustments provided Eligible Customers shall be separately accounted for and will not be included or recovered via the Company's determination of the Market Value Adjustment provision within Rider MV – Market Value of Power and Energy, or successor tariff.

Notwithstanding the previous provisions of this Rider, in a situation in which before August 1, 2011, the Illinois General Assembly enacts into legislation, that by its express provisions or by reason of judicial action has the effect of (i) freezing or reducing retail electric rates of any signatory to the Letter dated July 24, 2007, as defined in certain Rate Relief Funding Agreements filed with the Illinois Secretary of State Index Department and designated as "95-GA-C01" and "95-GA-C04" inclusive, or any of their Affiliates or respective successors in interest; or (ii) imposing or authorizing a new tax, special assessment or a fee on the generation of electricity, the ownership or leasehold of a generating unit or the privilege or occupation of such generation or leasehold of generation units by any signatory to the aforesaid Letter or any of their Affiliates or respective successors in interest, other than a generally applicable tax or assessment, the Company's obligations to provide Credit Adjustments shall immediately terminate. Notwithstanding the previous provisions of this Rider, in a situation in which Generators as defined under the aforesaid Rate Relief Funding Agreements fail to reimburse and contribute to the Company such Generator's Share of Credits as provided for in such Rate Relief Funding Agreements, the Company's obligation to provide Credit Adjustments shall be reduced by the amount not reimbursed or contributed that was allocated to Rider CRM Credit Adjustments. If the effectiveness of the Legislation attached to the aforesaid Letter, Senate Bill 1592, as amended by House Amendment Nos. 5 and 6, and as set forth in Legislative Reference Bureau document no. LRB09511114MJR38234a, now Public Act 95-0481, is stayed or enjoined by a court, in whole or in part, then the provision of Credit Adjustments hereunder shall be held in abeyance until such time, if ever, as such stay or injunction is lifted. If such legislation is declared invalid, in whole or in part, then this Rider and the provision of Credit Adjustments hereunder shall terminate. If such Legislation is declared invalid, in whole or in part, then the rights and obligations contained in the aforesaid Letter and obligations shall be voidable upon written notice to all signatories.

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